

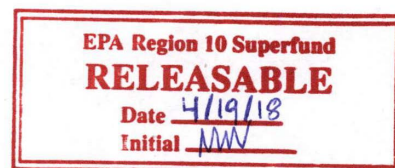


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Mr. Joe Feely
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Subject: Insurer: Associated International Insurance Company
Insured: Kaiser Cement Corporation
Claim Nos.: A1128101; A1128102
Policy No.: XS00103073 - 4/1/83 - 4/1/84
XS00106751 - 5/1/84 - 5/1/85
Claimant: Lower Duwamish Waterway Superfund Site ("Site")

Dear Mr. Feely:

We represent Kaiser Cement Corporation ("Kaiser Cement"), in connection with the necessary investigation that it is undertaking in order to respond to the EPA's February 19, 2010, request for information served on it pursuant to Section 104(e) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act. We also represent Kaiser Gypsum Company, Inc. ("Kaiser Gypsum") with respect to its claim for insurance coverage for any liability it has related to the Site.

On behalf of Kaiser Cement and Kaiser Gypsum we put Associated International Insurance Company on notice of claims against them at the Site last December. When Associated International failed to acknowledge the tender letters, we e-mailed the tender letters to Markel on July 22, 2011, (Kaiser Gypsum) and July 25, 2011, (Kaiser Cement).

We received a fax on July 25, 2011, naming you as the claims representative. We understand the fax to acknowledge the tender letters of both Kaiser Gypsum and Kaiser Cement as two claim numbers have been assigned. Please identify which claim number is assigned to each entity. It would also be helpful if you would provide your e-mail address for future correspondence.

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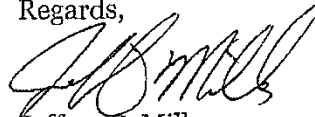
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If you have any questions, please e-mail me at jeff.miller@millernash.com
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Regards,



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Enclosure

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RE: Our Insured: KAISER CEMENT CORPORATION
Our Claim: A1128101; A1128102
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XS00106751 - 5/1/84 - 5/1/85
Claimant: LOWER DUWAMISH WATERWAY SUPERFUND SITE

Dear Sir or Madam:

Markel Service, Incorporated claims service manager for Associated International Insurance Company acknowledges notice of the above captioned loss.

This matter has been assigned to Joe Feely your claims representative, who will be contacting you shortly. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact your claims representative at (818) 227-8128.

Sincerely,

Tanya Galfayan / Technician - Claims Services

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